BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

() MUR 4545

Clinton/Gore '96 Primary

Committee, Inc., and Joan

Pollitt, as treasurer;

United States of America;

National Railroad Passenger

Corporation (Amtrak);

Consolidated Rail Corporation

(Conrail); CSX Corporation

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene Harris, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on April 26, 2000, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0, on an amended pre-meeting tally vote, to take the following actions with respect to MUR 4545:

- Find no reason to believe that the Clinton/Gore '96 Primary Committee, Inc., and Joan Pollitt, as treasurer, violated any provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, 2 U.S.C. §§ 431-455, the Presidential Primary Matching Payment Account Act, as amended, 26 U.S.C. §§ 9031-9042, or the Commission's regulations with respect to the allegations in MUR 4545;
- 2. Find no reason to believe that the United States of America violated any provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, 2 U.S.C. §§ 431-455, the Presidential Primary Matching Payment Account Act, as amended, 26 U.S.C. §§ 9031-9042, or the Commission's regulations with respect to the allegations in MUR 4545;

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- 3. Find no reason to believe that the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) violated any provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, 2 U.S.C. §§ 431-455, the Presidential Primary Matching Payment Account Act, as amended, 26 U.S.C. §§ 9031-9042, or the Commission's regulations with respect to the allegations in MUR 4545;
- 4. Find no reason to believe that Consolidated Rail Corporation (Conrail) violated any provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, 2 U.S.C. §§ 431-455, the Presidential Primary Matching Payment Account Act, as amended, 26 U.S.C. §§ 9031-9042, or the Commission's regulations with respect to the allegations in MUR 4545;
- 5. Find no reason to believe that CSX Corporation violated any provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, 2 U.S.C. §§ 431-455, the Presidential Primary Matching Payment Account Act, as amended, 26 U.S.C. §§ 9031-9042, or the Commission's regulations with respect to the allegations in MUR 4545;
- 6. Approve the appropriate letters; and
- 7. Close the file.

Commissioners Elliott, Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom, Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioners Elliott and Thomas were not present at the meeting.

Attest:

April 27, 2000

Darlene Harris
Acting Deputy Secretary
of the Commission